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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated May 9th, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begins at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims: None.

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Remarks/Arguments begins at page 3 of this paper.

Appendix: None.

This Amendment is filed within the shortened statutory period for reply recited in the referenced Office Action, and no fee is deemed due. Should the undersigned representative be mistaken, please consider this as a petition for an extension of time necessary to effect his Amendment and charge Deposit Account No. 50-1924 for any required fee deficiency. The issue and publication fees will be paid under separate letter.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION:

Please add the following paragraph above page 1, line 1 of the written description,
immediately following the title of the invention:

Cross Reference to Related Application:

This application claims priority to Finnish Patent Application Serial No. 980358,
filed on February 17, 1998, through PCT International Application No.
PCT/FI99/00095, filed on February 9, 1999.